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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

My suburban residence is in a neighborhood that doesn't yet offer fiber internet, but I am a happy customer of Sonic broadband DSL and landline telephone service. Please don't eliminate competition in this residential marketplace. I enjoy good service and reasonable cost from my provider, and eliminating business competition would put me and others in my neighborhood at a disadvantage with rate hikes and mediocre service.

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